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whether on this question also he has ascertained the views of the Collectors of the districts and found that the public opinion was in favour of such a reform."

* The hon. the RAJA OF BOBBILI :—"Sir, although it is not specifically stated in the Statement of Objects and Reasons, the Government have satisfied themselves that the time is now ripe for bringing the Local Boards Act into line with the District Municipalities Act. No doubt, hon. Members are aware that in the past several attempts were made to enact a provision similar to the one contained in the Bill before us but all those attempts were not successful. As regards consultation with the Collectors, I may state for the information of my hon. Friend that this subject was discussed at the Collectors' Conference at Ootacamund. The Government have satisfied themselves that public opinion is now ripe for the introduction of such a measure."

The question that the Bill be passed into law was put and carried and the Bill was passed into law.

The House adjourned till 11 a.m. on Tuesday, 1st August 1933.

XII.—PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE OF THE HOUSE.

a 1. *G.O. No.* 1241, *L. & M., dated* 28*th March* 1933, *fixing the term of members of district and taluk boards in Kistna district.*

b 2. *G.O. No.* 311, *Development, dated* 11*th March* 1933, *recording the Audit Report on the accounts of the Russellkonda Saw Mills for the year* 1931–32.

b 3. *G.O. No.* 319, *Development, dated* 14*th March* 1933, *recording the Audit Report on the accounts of the Chenat Nair Exploitation Division for the year ending* 31*st March* 1932.

b 4. *Proceedings of the sixth meeting of the Finance Committee, dated* 10*th March* 1933.

b 5. *G.O. No.* 297, *Development, dated* 9*th March* 1933, *recording the Audit Report on the accounts of the Forest Utilization Division for the year ending* 31*st March* 1932.

a 6. *Notification regarding the supersession of the Bezwada Municipal Council.*

a 7. *G.O. No.* 1415, *L. & M., dated* 10*th April* 1933, *fixing the date of retirement of members of certain panchayats.*

a 8. *G.O. No.* 1475, *L. & M., dated* 17*th April* 1933, *notifying the constitution of certain taluk boards in the Kistna district.*

b 9. *G.O. No.* 320, *Finance, dated* 1st *May* 1933, *regarding the constitution of Public Accounts and Finance Committees for* 1933–34.

a 10. *G.O. No.* 1476, *L. & M., dated* 17*th April* 1933, *extending the term of members of district and taluk boards in Kistna district up to* 25*th June* 1933.

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c 11. *Lists on posts on Rs. 500 per mensem and above created during the quarter ending the 31st March* 1933.

a 12. *G.O. No.* 1936 (13-*S*), *L. & M.*, *dated* 13*th May* 1933, *fixing the date of retirement of members of the Kistna District Board.*

b 13. *G.O. No.* 519, *Development, dated* 1*st May* 1933, *recording the Audit Report on the accounts of the Mount Stuart Working Circle for* 1931–32.

b 14. *G.O. No.* 524, *Development, dated* 2*nd May* 1933, *passing orders on the Audit Report on the accounts of the Nilambur Valley Forests for* 1931–32.

a 15. *G.O. No.* 1982 (14-*S*), *L. & M.*, *dated* 13*th May* 1933, *fixing the date of retirement of members of certain panchayats.*

d 16. *G.O. No.* 430, *Development, dated* 4*th April* 1933, *passing orders on the Collector's report on the working of the Kancha system of grazing in Nellore district.*

a 17. *G.O. No.* 2238, *L. & M.*, *dated* 7*th June* 1933, *exempting the motor car belonging to His Highness the Maharaja (Holkar) of Indore from tax.*

e 18. *Report from the District Medical Officer, Nellore, with reference to the answer given to question No.* 753 *at the meeting of the Council held on* 23*rd March* 1933.

b 19. *G.O. No.* 630, *Development, dated* 27*th May* 1933, *recording the Audit Report on the accounts of the Cinchona Department, Madras, for the year ending* 31*st March* 1932.

b 20. *Report of the Madras Public Works Establishment Committee,* 1932–33.

a 21. *G.O. No.* 2605, *L. & M.*, *dated* 1*st July* 1933, *exempting certain motor vehicles from payment of tax.*

b 22. *G.O. No.* 2412 (38-*S*), *L. & M.*, *dated* 19*th June* 1933, *extending the term of members of the Bezwada, Nuzvid and Bandar Taluk Boards.*

f 23. *Statement of action taken on resolutions passed during the third session of the Fourth Madras Legislative Council.*

g 24. *G.O. No.* 1217 *I.*, *dated* 5*th June* 1933, *regarding the scheme for a high level channel at Mulapadu, Kistna district.*

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Secretary to the Legislative Council.

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c Printed as Appendix II at pages 47–48 infra.
d Vide Appendix III at pages 48–50 infra.
e Vide Appendix IV at page 50 infra.
f Vide Appendix V at pages 51–52 infra.
g Vide Appendix VI at page 53 infra.